

Preliminary Amendment dated June 10, 2005

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

Axel Nickel et al.

Application TO BE ASSIGNED

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For: MELT-BLOW HEAD

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Mail Stop National Phase Application

Commissioner for Patents

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Sir:

Prior to examination and the calculation of the extra claims fee, please amend the instant application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the Listing of Claims, which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.

If any fees are required or if an overpayment is made, the Commissioner is authorized to debit or credit our Deposit Account No. 19-0733, accordingly.